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IN RE APPLICATION OF: TAI-SHUI HO ET AL

SERIAL NO.: 10/671,532

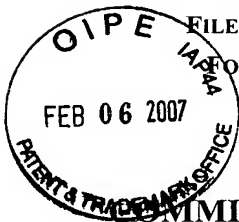
GROUP ART UNIT: 2132

EXAMINER: T. PEESO

ATTY. REFERENCE: HOTA3007/BEU

FILED: September 29, 2003

FOR: METHOD OF PERFORMING AN  
AUTHENTICATION ON A SUBSCRIBER  
IDENTITY MODULE CARD BY AN ELECTRONIC  
COMMUNICATION DEVICE



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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication/amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is claimed.
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

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| Independent Claims   |                                  | - <sup>2</sup>                     | = <sup>3</sup> | × \$100 =    | × \$ 200 = |
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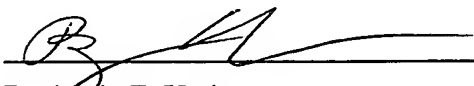
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| For: Method Of Performing An Authentication On A Subscriber Identity Module Card |   |                                      |
| By An Electronic Communication Device  |   |                                      |

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Honorable Commissioner For Patents  
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This paper is in response to the Official Action dated November 7, 2006.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5.